

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Senator Hart
Leonard Halls - Represented Buchanan and Bremer Counties, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 7 Sept 1822 Batavia, New York

2. Marriage (s) date place
Eleanor Curtis 4 Apr 1855 Independence, Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Lawyer

4. Church membership Methodist

5. Sessions served 10th 11th General Assemblies 1884, 1886

6. Public Offices

A. Local _____

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 17 May 1905 Archer City, Iowa

8. Children Lillian (Mrs. Kern); J. L.; Fred; Mont

9. Names of parents _____

10. Education _____

11. Degrees

Educated at Cayuga and Lyons Colleges, New York

12. Other applicable information _____

- He went to Holly Springs, Mississippi in the 1840's where he lived and taught school for several years.
- In 1855 he moved to Independence, Iowa where he practiced law.
- They lived at Independence, Iowa for 22 years.
- In 1877 they moved to Seward, Nebraska where they lived 3 years.
- They then moved to Archer, Texas and lived there about 25 years.

Sources Log For Legislation Entries

Applicability

Source	Non Applicable	Applicable	Information obtained
Obituary -			<u>The Independent Bulletin Journal</u> Independence, Iowa, Thurs. May 25, 1905, p. 4, col. 5

It was supposed that something to the paving proposition would appear, but nothing appeared. A man was read asking for a sidewalk on the south side along the Dr. Shattuck street, and this, after much discussion, was laid away with the proper committee. The clerk was ordered to issue warrants for the per diem of the board.

Beatty was present and extended an invitation from the veterans' mayor and council to participate in the Decoration day exercises. The proposition was accepted and Mayor Beatty instructed to make the arrangements to attend.

The proposition to cut out trees and to the court house park was discussed fully, and the council will go to the site and decide upon the work to be done. The trees are too thick for a good view, and possibly a third of the trees now standing will be removed. The park was planned so that the elms would cover the sidewalk and the maples could then be removed.

A resolution which made it possible for the street commissioner only to remove crossings was rescinded. All crossings are now to be cement, and new ones were placed on the street. The matter of a public pound for stock of all kinds seemed to get lost in the fog, and while discussed to arrive at anything definite. A meeting to adjourn met with a prompt end and the rush for hats seemed in the air.

Prosecution Is Begun.

Prosecutions were taken Wednesday morning by Attorney Charles E. Ransier in the case of the Anti-saloon League of Indian County vs. Wm. Bidinger, Quasqueton druggist, who is charged with selling intoxicating liquors contrary to the state law. Mayor Kimball, Dr. Sheffield, E. C. Hall, C. J. Walters, J. E. Harris, J. H. Spees, Hugh Hursey and other prominent Quasquetonians appeared in support of Mr. Bidinger. The case will come up at the coming term of the district court and will then be argued.

The city is making some permanent improvements in front of the Second street house in the shape of a neat sidewalk with curb line.

Give us your repair work. We will repair your watch, clock, glasses, jewelry, umbrellas, etc., and guarantee our work. —Thomas, Jeweler.

Man that Makes the Watch Go. — Thomas, Jeweler.

known until the state report is out. That will not be over 700 or 800, and therefore a loss of at least 2,000 will be shown. Who is there that believes such a thing possible? The population returned for 1890 was 18,964 and for 1885 17,726.

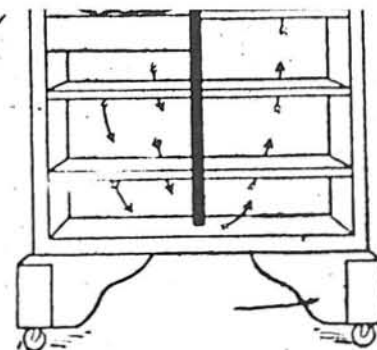
EARLY PIONEER GONE.

Hon. L. W. Hart, one of the strong men who helped put Iowa into the path of progress and guided her childish steps into the path of anti-slavery and republicanism, passed away at his home in Texas May 17.

Leonard Wells Hart was born in Batavia, New York, September 7, 1822. He was educated at Caryville and Lyman college, New York, and went south to Holly Springs, Miss., in the forties, where he lived and taught school for a number of years. In 1855 he removed to Independence, where he engaged in the practice of law, and served as a member of the state senate during the war of the Rebellion. He was one of the signers of the ratification of the emancipation proclamation issued by Gov. Stone of this state. He married Eleanor Curtis on the 4th day of July, 1855, at Independence, and they lived here for about twenty-two years, where their children were born. In 1877 the couple moved to Nebraska, where they resided about three years at Seward, and then to Archer county, Texas, where he has lived since the organization of the county, about twenty-five years. He has been identified with the land interest of the entire north-west part of Texas, and was widely acquainted with the legal fraternity of the state. He had been a prominent member of the Methodist church for forty years. His death occurred in Archer City, Texas, at his home, May 17, 1905. Had he lived until the 4th of July he would have celebrated his golden wedding day, and had he lived until September 7 his eighty-third birthday. He is survived by his wife and four children: One daughter, Mrs. Lillian Kerr, of Colorado Springs; F. L. Hart, of Victor, Col.; Fred Hart, of Boston, Mass., and Mont Hart, of Archer City, Texas. His widow is a sister of L. J. and Wilbur Curtis, of this city, and Henry Curtis, of Le Mars.

To Whom It May Concern:

I suffered with kidney trouble and catarrh for six years. I could not do but little work when I first saw Dr. Shallenberger, the Chicago specialist. Now I can work all day, have gained weight, and feel like a new man. I do as he tells you. Write to me and I will tell you all.



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